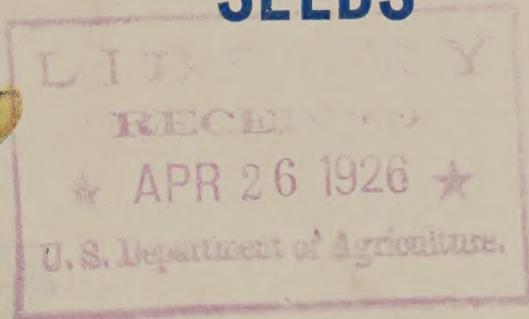


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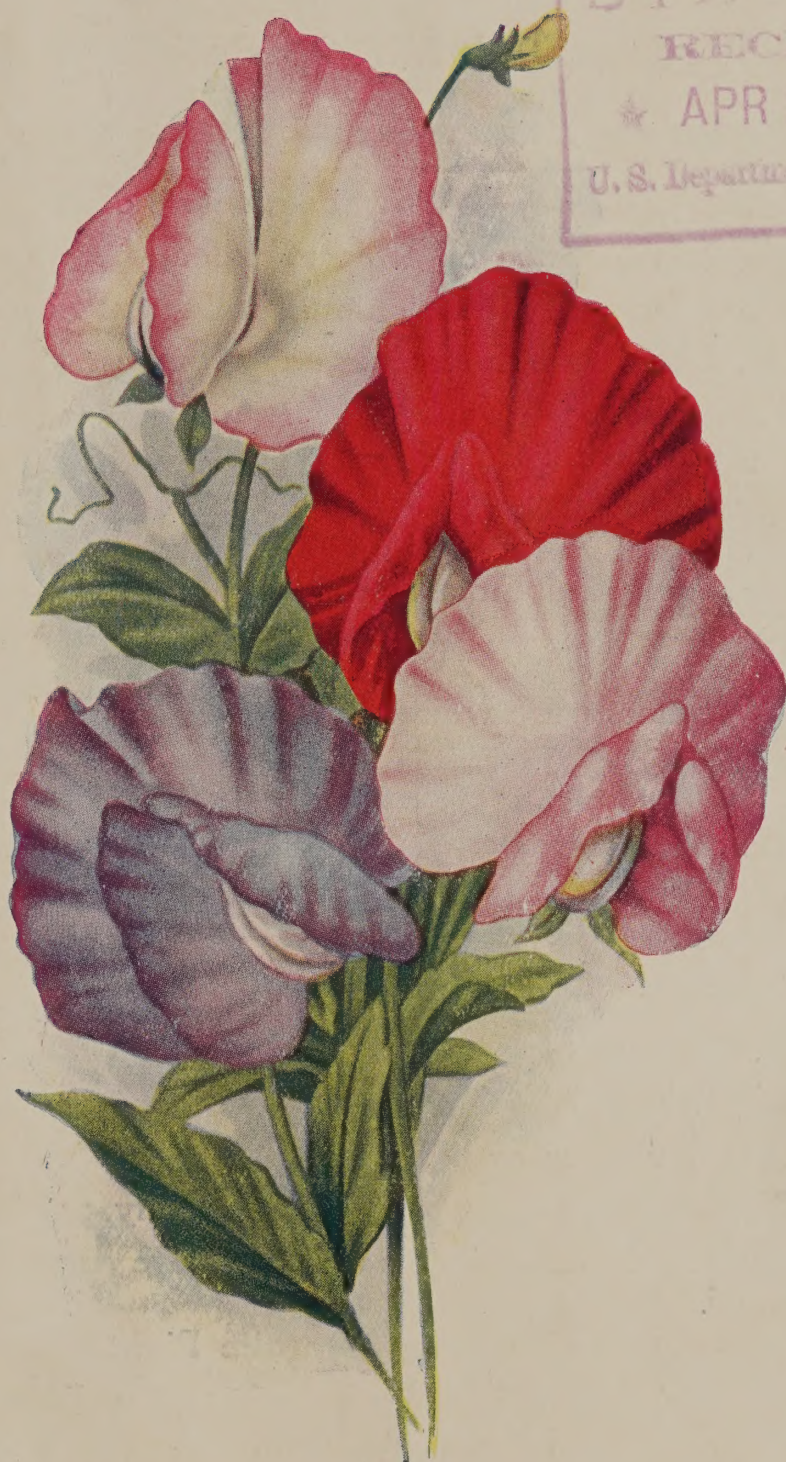
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ALBURY LAVENDER—Well waved, shade of lavender.

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We have numerous varieties not mentioned in this List. We are in close touch with all the leading Growers, and can procure any variety not in stock.

NOTE.—We guarantee all Packet Seed to be of good germination.

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Our magnificent strains, which have been greatly improved by careful selection, give fully 70 to 80 per cent. of double flowers. Stocks are of easy culture. Require well-drained soil, plenty of sunlight, not too much water, and are best treated as annuals.

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- ABUNDANCE—Carmine.
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FLOWER SEEDS

All Post Free.

For Autumn Sowing

ANEMONE (Windflower)—Lovely Spring-flowering perennial plants, of which we also offer the bulbs. They are, however, easily raised from seed. Sow in late Summer and Autumn.

St. Brigid—A distinct strain of most brilliant and striking colors; a splendid class; 9in. Small packet, 6d.

ANTIRRHINUM (SNAPDRAGON) INTERMEDIATE—The most favoured for cut flowers. 6d. per packet.

ANTIRRHINUM (Snapdragon) Tall Flowering—Extra tall, 3ft. high. 6d. per packet.

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AQUILEGIA (Long Spurred)—All long spurred types in splendid mixture of colors.

CANDYTUFT—6d. per packet. Hardy annual border plants, very showy for massing or edgings in borders. The strains we offer are very superior. Sow in the Autumn or early Spring.

CANTERBURY BELLS—6d. per packet. Very handsome, favourite border plants. Hardy biennials, and are best sown in February, March, or April; will then flower in the following Spring. Thrive best in cool climates.

CENTAUREA (Cornflowers and Sweet Sultans)—Sow Autumn and Spring. The dainty flowers borne on long stems are excellent for cutting; exquisite shades. The Imperialis type are the best, and if sown in Autumn will continue to flower a long time.

CORNFLOWER BLUE—An old favourite. 6d. per packet.

CENTAUREA IMPERIALIS—Choice Mixed. 6d. per packet.

CINERARIA (CHOICE PRIZE STRAIN).—1/- and 2/6 per packet. Sow December to May. Our magnificent strain comprises the most wonderful and varied range of colours; suitable for making a gorgeous display in open beds or borders in and around Sydney. In cooler climates they require glass-house protection to bring them to perfection.

DELPHINIUM KELWAY'S CHOICE MIXED HYBRIDS. 1/- and 2/6 packet. Magnificent colors; all shades of blue; tall flower spikes.

Blue Butterfly—6d. packet. A dainty dwarf variety, most useful and effective; excellent as a cut flower. Beautiful blue, very free flowering. Highly recommended.

GYPSOPHILIA Elegans (Grandiflora Alba)—Splendid for arranging with Sweet Peas and bouquets. Best sown where required to flower. 6d. per packet.

Paniculata—Dwarf White, perennial; only suitable for cold climates. 6d. per packet.

LARKSPUR—Choice Mixed; 6d. per packet. Beautiful colors, long stems, very hardy, and of easy culture; sow in Spring and Autumn.

LINARIA (Mixed Hybrids)—6d. per packet. Splendid for massed bedding. Sow in Spring and Autumn.

LOBELIA (Crystal Palace)—6d. per packet. The best blue and most constant bloomer. Dark foliage. Suitable for edgings or carpet bedding. Sow in Autumn and Spring.

LUPINS—6d. per packet.

Choice Mixed—All colors; annual variety.

Pink Pearl—A charming shade of Pink, much admired, so useful for cutting; long spikes of bloom.

Tall Blue—Splendid for decorative purposes.

MARIGOLDS—6d. per packet.

French Dwarf—Mixed.

African Tall—Mixed.

MIGNONETTE—This well-known favourite, cultivated for its fragrant flowers, may be sown at any time of the year. The varieties listed are all sweet scented.

Machet—Large spikes, compact grower.

Red Machet—Deepest color.

Large Flowering Sweet-Scented—6d. per packet.

NEMESIA STRUMOSA—Extra Selected Large-flowered. The flowers are very large, and of the most brilliant colors; will stand several degrees of frost.

NIGELLA (Love-in-a-Mist)—Hardy annuals, pretty and interesting. Old English border flowers, very suitable for cutting. Sow in the Autumn or early Spring.

PANSIES.

Pansies are everyone's favourites, as borders or in massed beds that are wonderfully effective, and as they flower for such a long period we highly recommend them. Pansies love rich soil and plenty of old cow manure must be used for the best results. Apply liquid manure while plants are flowering to provide large blooms.

BATH'S EMPRESS.—Choice Mixed. 2/6 per packet. One of the choicest English exhibition strains, containing only the best.

SPECIAL MIXTURE.—Includes the finest Continental Exhibition Prize Strains; should produce the most gorgeous giant Pansies imaginable. 2/6 and 5/- per packet.

CASSIER'S BLOTCHED.—Finest Mixed. 1/- per packet.

BUGNOT'S EXHIBITION.—A fine-petalled type, superb colorings; veined and margined. 1/- and 2/6 per packet.

MASTERPIECE.—Large, curled at edge of petals, distinct and wonderful shades. 1/- and 2/6 per packet.

Large French Stained—Fine form, exquisite markings. 6d. packet.

VIOLAS (Bedding or Tufted Pansies)—6d. per packet in Mixture.

FLOWER SEEDS continued—

PENTSTEMON—CHOICE MIXED. 6d. and 1/- per packet. A favourite hardy perennial, producing fine spikes of pretty, bell-shaped flowers in great profusion; exceptionally hardy.

POPPY—(Papaver) Shirley Mixed. 6d. per packet. The most beautiful type of Annual Poppies, having soft, hairy foliage; an immense variety of single flowers in White Pink, Apricot, and shades of Red; the petals of a very dainty texture. Sow in Spring and Autumn.

ICELAND POPPY—These are much in favour, and distinctly graceful, delicate in color, most easily grown; the flowers last for days. 6d. per packet.

SUNBEAM. Large stems and flowers, containing all the new shades. 1/- per packet.

PHLOX Drummondii—In cold climates, Spring sowing is recommended. In warm climates, where little frosts are experienced, sow any time from early Spring on to the Autumn. They delight in a sunny border. 6d. per packet.

PRIMULA MALACOIDES—6d. and 1/- per packet.

RANUNCULUS ASIATICUS—6d., 1/- and 2/6 per packet. Our magnificent strain of this well-known favourite Spring-flowering bulbous plant produces an abundance of semi-double and double flowers, embracing an endless variety of colors. Sow January to April. (See also Bulbs.)

SALVIA BONFIRE (Improved)—Large spikes of deep scarlet, dark green foliage, compact growth; height, two to three feet. 6d. and 1/- per packet.

SCABIOUS (Pin Cushions)—Choice Double Mixed. 6d. per packet. Hardy annual and perennial plants. The large flowers, carried on long stems, are especially adapted for cutting. Beautiful, and worthy of a place in every garden. Sow in Autumn and Spring.

Azure Fairy—A lovely variety, excellent for cutting. 6d. per packet.

SCHIZANTHUS WISETONENSIS (Poor Man's Orchid)—6d. and 1/- per packet. New Hybrids; Choice Mixed; remarkably free flowering annuals, growing 1½ to 2 ft. high, covered with bright, showy, butterfly-like blossoms; are most effective for massed bedding displays. Makes a charming pot plant; excellent for cutting. Sow in Autumn and Spring.

SWEET WILLIAM (Dianthus Barbatus)—A favourite, old-fashioned perennial, very effective in mixed borders. If sown in the Autumn, they will bloom the following Spring. 6d.

VERBENA (MAMMOTH MIXED). 6d. and 1/- per packet. Unsurpassed for brilliancy of color; excellent massed bedding and border effects, hardy perennial. Sow in Autumn and Spring.

WALLFLOWER—6d. and 1/- per packet. Universal favourites, on account of their rich colorings and delicious fragrance. The Single varieties are most suited to our climatic conditions. Sow January to June.

Early Paris (Single)—Choice Mixed, all shades.

SPRING FLOWERING BULBS

For Present Planting.

NOTE.—This is an abbreviated list only—if other varieties are needed, we have them. 50 of any one sort are sold at 100 rate.

DAFFODILS OR NARCISSUS.

During recent years the Daffodil or Narcissus has been developed to an unusual degree.

The Polyanthus Narcissus are the first to flower, commencing in the early Winter; then follow Narcissus Jonquilla, with Incomparabilis, Trumpets in early and mid Spring, ending with the Poeticus, which bloom in the late Spring.

There is no more easily cultivated bulb, for, although the Daffodil prefers a strong loam, it will grow and flower freely in any average garden soil. The land should be well worked and deeply dug, but if it is very poor, well-rotted horse manure should be dug in to a depth of 8 to 12 inches, so that it does not touch the bulbs. Bone manure can be incorporated with the soil to advantage. We offer strong bulbs, which will flower the first season. These should be planted 6 inches apart, and the crown of the bulb should not be covered more than 2 inches. The flowers keep a long time when cut, and retain their brilliant colors in water for several days.

Daffodils can also be grown in water with much success, and their cultivation in this way is most interesting. Half fill a China or glass bowl with pebbles, or small pieces of sandstone, so as to keep the bulbs in position; then fill in with water to reach just above base of bulbs, and keep filled up to that level when water goes down by evaporation; about 6 bulbs in a bowl will make a good show. Sir Watkin, Emperor, and Empress are very suitable for the purpose.

DAFFODILS (Long Trumpet Section).

Plant February to June.

Post free.

BULBOCODIUM (Hoop Petticoat)—Buttercup color. 2d. each, 1/9 doz., 10/- 100.

CERVANTES—Sulphur yellow wings, yellow frilled trumpet; very early. 4d. each, 3/6 doz.

EMPRESS—White wings, yellow trumpet. 4d. each, 3/6 doz.

EMPEROR—Yellow. 4d. each, 3/6 doz., 17/6 100.

GOLDFINCH—Deep golden self. 4d. each, 3/6 doz.

GOLDEN BELL—Large Yellow. 9d. each, 7/6 doz.

KING ALFRED—Large golden, very tall, good grower. 1/6 each, 15/- doz.

M. J. BERKELEY—Large yellow, splendid early one. 4d. each, 3/6 doz.

MRS. THOMPSON—All white, large, well frilled. 4d. each, 3/6 doz.

MRS. W. T. WARE—Bicolor, white wings, open yellow trumpet, 4d. each, 3/6 doz.

DAFFODILS (Long Trumpet Section) continued—

- PRINCESS IDA—White wings, green trumpet with yellow edge. 8d. each, 7/- doz.
PRINCEPS—Sulphur wings, darker trumpet. 2d. each, 1/9 doz., 10/- 100.
WILLIAM GOLDRING—White wings, primrose trumpet, 4d. each, 3/6 doz.
WEARDALE PERFECTION—Bicolor, fine large trumpet. 2/- each.

DAFFODILS (Incomparabilis Section).

Medium Length Cups.

Plant February to June.

Post free.

“Per.” means Perianths (lower petals or wings).

- AUREUM—Yellow self. 3d. each, 2/- doz.
BEAUTY—Sulph. per., yellow and orange cup. 3d. each, 2/6 doz.
C. J. BACKHOUSE—Yellow per., scarlet cup. 8d. each, 7/- doz.
COMMANDER—(Late). Yellow, orange red cup, fine. 4d. each, 3/6 doz.
FRANK MILES—Yellow twisted per., 3d. each, 2/6 doz.
GLORIA MUNDI—Yellow per., orange scarlet cup, 1/6 each.
LUCIFER—Large white per., red cup. 9d. each.
LEONIE—Large cup, edged red. 8d. each, 7/- doz.
MAGOG—Sulphur yellow. 3d. each, 2/6 doz.
SIR WATKIN—Yellow chalice cup. 4d. each, 3/6 doz.
STELLA—Yellow. 2d. each, 1/6 doz.
WINIFRED—Large white per., expanded yellow cup. 4d. each, 3/- doz.

DAFFODILS (Burbidgei Section).

Plant February to June

Short Cups.

Post free.

- TYPE (Burbidgei)—White wings, cup margined red. 3d. each, 2/6 doz.
JOHN BAIN—White wings, lemon cup. 3d. each, 2/6 doz.

DAFFODILS (Barri Section).

Short Cups.

Plant February to June.

Post free.

- CONSPICUOUS—Primrose per., broad short orange cup. 3d. each, 2/6 doz.
SEAGULL—White per., canary yellow cup, edged apricot. 9d. each, 7/6 doz.

DAFFODILS (Doubles).

Plant February to June.

Post free.

- AURANTIUS PLENUS—Golden Phoenix (butter and eggs), double yellow, orange centre. 3d. each, 2/6 doz.
ALBUS PLENUS AURANTIUS—Orange Phoenix (eggs and bacon), white and orange. 3d. each, 2/6 doz.
ALBUS PLENUS SULPHUREUS—Sulphur Phoenix (codlins and cream). 4d. each, 3/6 doz.
TELAMONIUS PLENUS—Yellow, large double. 3d. each, 2/6 doz.

DAFFODILS (Leedsii Section).

The cups are medium to short, color white or pale citron, white wings.

"Per" means Perianths (lower petals or wings).

Plant February to June.

Post free.

AMAZON—Pure white per., canary cup, strong grower. 4d. each, 3/6 doz.

DUCHESS OF WESTMINSTER—White per., canary cup. 8d. each, 7/- doz.

EVANGELINE—White per., pale citron cup. 1/3 each.

G. S. TITHERADGE—Fine white per., cup pale, passing to white. 1/6 each.

KATHERINE SPURRELL—Glistening white per., canary white. 4d. each, 3/6 doz.

WATERWITCH—Self white, with bell-shaped crown. 4d. each, 3/6 doz.

WHITE LADY—White per., lemon cup. 9d. each.

DAFFODIL (Poeticus Section).

Overlapping Wings. Pheasant's Eye.

Plant February to June.

Post free.

ALBA PLENA ODORATA—White, double. 4d. each, 3/6 doz.

POETICUS ORNATUS—White, crimson edged eye, single, flat cup. 3d. each, 2/6 doz.

RECURVIS (Pheasant's Eye)—White, highly perfumed. 3d. each, 2/6 doz.

HORACE—Broad white wings, large flat scarlet eye. 1/- each.

DAFFODIL (Poetaz Section).

Short, round wings, flat cups. More than one flower to stem.

Plant February to June.

Post free.

ASPASIA—Large white, yellow cup. 9d. each, 7/6 doz.

ELVIRA—White per., yellow eye, fine flower. 9d. each, 7/6 doz.

JAUNE A. MERVEILLE—Soft yellow per., deep golden eye. 1/6 each.

STARLIGHT—Fine white per., flat, scarlet cup, extra fine. 1/3 each.

TRIUMPH—Fine pure white per., yellow eye. 9d. each, 7/6 doz.

NARCISSI POLYANTHUS.

Bunch flowered, like large Jonquils.

Plant February to June.

Post free.

GRAND SOLIEL D'OR—Yellow, orange cup. 2d. each, 1/9 doz., 10/- 100.

GRAND PRIMO—White, citron cup. 2d. each, 1/9 doz., 7/6 100.

GRAND MONARQUE—White, primrose cup, large, late 3d. each, 2/6 doz., 17/6 100.

GRANDIFLORUS WHITE—Large white. 2d. each, 1/9 doz., 10/- 100.

JOSS FLOWER—Large white, orange cup, early. 3d. each, 2/6 doz., 15/- 100.

PAPER WHITE—Pearly white. 2d. each, 1/9 doz., 6/- 100.

PEARL WHITE—Pearly white, late. 2d. each, 1/9 doz., 10/- 100.

DOUBLE ROMAN—White, orange centre. 2d. each, 1/9 doz., 10/- 100.

WHITE PERFECTION—Large glistening white. 4d. each, 3/6 doz.

NARCISSI (Jonquil Section).

Plant February to June.

Post free.

SINGLE—Yellow. 2d. each, 7/6 100.

DOUBLE—Yellow. 3d. each, 17/6 100.

ANEMONES.

Australian-grown Bulbs.

Anemones are deserving of a place in every garden, and we cannot too highly recommend them. Their matchless variety and color, and endless shades of crimson, scarlet, lilac, rose, blue, purple, and white, together with the wonderful markings and blotches of color, render them very attractive. They are most beautiful as cut flowers, and will last for a week in water. The plants bloom for a long time, and by successional planting they can be had in bloom for three months. They prefer a fairly strong soil, well drained. Plant about 6in. apart, and cover about one inch.

Plant February to May.

Not Imported—Grown in Sydney.

ST. BRIGID—Very large, mostly semi-double flowers; in all the most brilliant shades and colors. 2/- doz., 12/6 100; post free.

DOUBLE AND SINGLE MIXED—All shades and colors. 1/6 doz., 10/- 100; post free.

AMARYLLIS (Hippeastrum).

Plant January to May.

Easily grown.

Postage 3d. each extra, or 1/- doz. extra.

MIXED HYBRIDS—2/- each, 20/- doz.

BELLADONNA LILY—Pink, 6d. each; 5/- doz.

BELLADONNA "PERFECTA"—White and pink, tall. 9d. each, 7/6 doz.

BABIANA.

Plant February to May.

Very showy plants, producing rich self-colors, and very distinct hues in the same flower, with long, wire-like foliage. Beautifully sweet-scented. Mixed, 1/6 doz., 7/6 100. Post free.

BRUNSVIGEA.

Plant February to May.

PALLIDA—White, 1/3 each. (Post 3d. extra).

MULTIFLORA—Pink, large. 1/3 each. (Post 3d. extra).

CANNA.

Plant any time.

Postage 4d. each, or 1/- dozen extra.

ANY SEPARATE COLOR—1/- each.

CALLA (Arum Lily).

Plant April to September.

Postage 4d. each, or 1/- doz. extra.

AETHIOPICA—White Arum. 1/- each, 7/6 doz.

AURATA—Lemon yellow, jet black centre. 1/6 each, 15/- doz.

CRINITUM—Red shape, mottled stem. 2/- each, 18/- doz.

CHILDSIANA—Pure white, dark green foliage. 1/- each, 10/- doz.

DRACUNUCULUS—Purple red, 2/- each, 18/- doz.

ELLIOTTIANA—Deep golden yellow. 2/- each, 20/- doz.

ITALICUM—Greenish white, variegated foliage. 1/- each, 10/- doz.

MRS. ROOSEVELT—Pale yellow, fine. 2/- each, 18/- doz.

LITTLE GEM—White, very dwarf. 1/- each, 10/- doz.

MACULATA ALBA—Creamy white, spotted foliage. 1/- each, 9/- doz.

NELSONI—Large cream flower, spotted foliage, 2/- each, 18/- doz.

PENTLANDI—Large golden yellow. 3/- each.

REHMANNI—Pink shade. 3/- each.

SOLFATERRE—Primrose yellow, purple centre, fine. 1/6 each, 15/- dozen.

SANCTUM PALESTINUM—Black. 2/- each.

CRINUM.

All post free.

Plant any time.

MOOREI—Delicate pink. 2/- each.

CAPENSE—White, pink stripe. 1/6 each.

POWELLI—White, shaded pink. 2/- each.

PEDUNCULATUM—White. 1/6 each.

UMBELLIATUM—Pink shaded, large. 2/- each.

YEMENSE—Glistening white. Sweet scent. 3/- each.

FREESIA.

A Great Favourite.

These flowers have a delicious perfume, and are of great value for cutting; each bulb bears more than one stem with eight or ten flowers. Most desirable pot plants, but they are perfectly hardy out of doors; should be planted four inches apart, and lightly covered.

Postage free.

Plant February to May.

REFRACTRA ALBA—Sweet scented. 9d. doz., 5/- 100.

SUNSET, HYBRID—Deep orange yellow. 4d. each, 3/- doz.

PURITY HYBRID—Pure white large. 2d. each, 1/9 doz., 10/6 100.

BLUE HYBRID—Large flower, sweet scented, 6d. each, 5/6 doz.

PURPLE HYBRID—Large. 6d. each, 5/6 doz.

MAUVE HYBRID—Large flower. 6d. each, 5/6 doz.

GOLDEN DAWN—Bronze yellow, 4d. each, 3/- doz.

MIXED HYBRIDS—Excellent strain. Many shades of blue, mauve, orange, pink. 2/6 doz., 17/6 100.

GLADIOLI (Miniature).

Post free.

Plant February to September.

COLVILLEI ALBA—The Bride. 3d. each, 2/- doz.

DELICATISSIMA—Pale, dark markings. 4d. each, 3/- doz.

PEACH BLOSSOM—Pink, fine. 4d. each, 3/- doz.

NE PLUS ULTRA—Scarlet, with white stripes. 4d. each, 3/- doz.

NOTE.—For ordinary list of large Gladioli, ask for Special Gladioli Catalogue ready May.

HYACINTHS.

Hyacinths prefer a good sandy loam enriched with old stable manure; peaty soils also suit them if well drained, or peat mixed with loamy or sandy soil grows them splendidly; do not succeed in dry soil. They should be planted in rows or in clumps 6 to 12 inches apart, and the crown of the bulb must be covered with at least 2 inches of soil. If the shoot, when it comes through the ground, shows an inclination to open and reveal the flower buds which it encloses, cover it up at once with an inverted flower pot, the object being to draw the flower stem from the bulb while it is enclosed in the leaves and before the flower is exposed to the sun. If this is done, it sometimes happens that the flower begins to color when only a portion of it has appeared, and the beauty of the spike is thus lost. Allow the flower pot to remain until the flower stem is well through and above the ground; then remove it, and fine spikes will be secured. The bulbs must be lifted when they have done flowering, and their foliage has died down.

Hyacinths grown in pots are very beautiful. Plant in 5-inch pots in rich, loamy, sandy, or peaty soil, well mixed; drain the pots well, place them in a shady or dark place until shoots appear above ground, and water sparingly, but when in full growth give a liberal allowance.

Hyacinths grown in bulb fibre are most interesting, and make lovely plants, spikes often 9 inches long; they are very easily grown, and do well in this climate.

Plant February to May.

Not Imported. Grown in N.S.W. Postage 1d. each, or 6d. doz. extra.

SINGLE KINDS—1/- each, 10/- doz.

Red

White

Yellow

Pink

Blue

DOUBLE KINDS—1/- each, 10/- doz.

Red, Pink, White, Blue, Yellow.

MIXED KINDS—9d. each, 7/6 doz.

ROMAN HYACINTHS—White, 9d. each, 5/6 doz.

GLORIOSA (Climbing Lily).

Plant February to June.

SUPERBA—Orange and red. 2/- each. Postage 3d. extra.

HEMEROCALLIS (Day Lily).

Plant February to June.

Grow anywhere. Very hardy. All 1/- each, post free.

AURANTIACA MAJOR—Rich orange yellow.

APRICOT—Fine deep yellow, tall.

QUEEN OF MAY—Deep yellow.

FLAME—Fire yellow.

FLAVA—Pale yellow.

ESTMERE—Yellow and brown.

IXIA (The African Corn Lily).

Plant March to April.

A charming family of hardy flowering plants; flowers are scarlet, lavender, white, or green, on light, graceful stems, produced in great profusion. They should be planted in clumps or in rows four inches apart.

MIXED—All colors. 1/3 doz.; 7/6 100; 70/- 1000; post free.

NAMED VARIETIES—A splendid assortment. 3d. each; 2/- doz.

RANUNCULUS ASIATICUS.

Nothing produces a brighter or more gorgeous effect. The single, semi-double, and double flowers are more varied than the Shirley Poppy. When in full bloom, they are a glowing mass of color. Plant claws downwards. Choice Mixed, 1/6 doz.; 10/- 100.

SNOWFLAKE (Leucojum).

SNOWFLAKE AESTIVUM—A beautiful hardy bulb of the Snowdrop type, which it strongly resembles; the petals are prettily tipped with green; it does well in almost any soil or situation. 9d. doz.; 5/- 100.

GIANT SNOWFLAKE (Pulchellum)—Produces elegant drooping white flowers; very large bells standing well above the foliage; quite superior to the preceding variety. 3d. each; 1/6 doz.; 10/6 100.

IRIS (Miscellaneous).

Post free.

Plant February to June.

PAVONIA (PEACOCK)—3d. each, 2/6 doz.

STYLOSA—Pale blue, also white and blue. 9d. each.

SUSIANA (Mourning Iris)—Limited stock. 2/6 each.

OCHROLEUCA (GIGANTEA)—White and primrose, fine tall variety.
1/- each.

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ROYAL—Deep purple.

THE QUEEN—Mauve, shaded.

DELICATE—Mauve blue, striped and shaded.

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UNIQUE—Mauve pink, dark centre.

CLARET CUP—Wine shade, heliotrope striped.

REX—Violet purple, splashed white.

JUNO—Purple, yellow centre.

WHITE CREST—White, with purple markings.

JESTER—Violet, purple.

IMPERIAL—Blue and white.

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BLACK PRINCE—Black-purple shade.

VIOLET—Violet red shade.

SPLENDENS—Mauve and wine, yellow blotch.

ICICLE—White, large.

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BEAUTY—Pink netted, and wine striped.

JEWEL—Purple, lined white.

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